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Abbreviations: C—Cactus: H. C.—Hybrid Cactus: D—Decorative: P—Peony.

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Introduction

It is with great pleasure that I present my 1930 list of dahlias; and I wish to thank my many customers for their kind patronage and shall try my best to merit a continuance of the patronage by sending out only the best of stock.

I make a specialty of green plants on the later varieties, and each year I have had wonderful reports from all plants. They are well rooted and make fine tubers.

WINNINGS FOR 1929 AT THE BOSTON SHOW.

The Lufkin Silver Cup awarded "City of Montreal".

2 Silver Medals

1 Bronze Medal

3 Special Prizes

NEW FOR 1930

CITY OF MONTREAL (D) (Roach)

This flower won the Lufkin silver cup as a special prize at the Dahlia Society of New England show held in Boston in 1929 as the second best decorative of New England origin, and was greatly admired by all that attended the show. The plant is a medium tall grower and extremely robust, the foliage is a heavy dark green and very leathery. It is a very profuse bloomer from early till late, centers are full and tight up to frost. I have had as many as nine blooms on a single plant, up to nine inches all at one time, the stems are perfect and hold the blooms up at all times. Ridgway color chart gives the color as aster purple reverse of petals streaked light mallow purple. A fine variety for exhibition or cut flower. Tubers \$10.00
Plants \$5.00

PHYLLIS SHAW (D) (Roach)

A monstrous flower of apricot orange with reverse of petals jasper red covered with a golden sheen. The blooms are gigantic in size and of great depth. This is a seedling from Elite Glory and has much the same habits in growth, the foliage is very dark green and leathery and is insect proof. Plant is very robust growing, and blooms very freely with good full centers all season. The stems are long and stiff and hold the blooms well out of the foliage. This dahlia was awarded the Dahlia Society of New England Silver Medal at the Boston show in 1928. Tubers \$10.00. Plants \$5.00

MAYNARD HALL (D) (Roach)

This is a very pleasing flower and of much merit. Plants grow tall up to seven feet and the very large flowers are held high above the foliage on stems that are extremely long and very stiff. Base of petals strontion yellow shaded to amber yellow to tips,—has been greatly admired in my garden for the past three seasons. Tubers \$5.00. Plants \$2.50

ALLEPPO (D) (Dr. Shattuck)

I believe this to be one of the best yellows on the market on account of its long stiff stems. This Dahlia has good depth and good size. Color a pure glistening picric yellow with fine petals. Flowers are not coarse like a lot of the yellows. Beautiful formation and fine foliage. Tubers \$10.00. Plants \$5.00

ANGELA MIA (D) (Dr. Shattuck)

The most popular white in my garden this season because it has depth. Most of the whites are not full enough. This flower is like a large ball with a stiff stem. Very free bloomer with the best of foliage. Tubers \$10.00. Plants \$5.00

BARCELONA (D) (Dr. Shattuck)

This seedling is four years old and has improved each year. The color is light carmine, very striking, has to be seen to be appreciated. It has long rigid stems, twelve to eighteen inches long, holding the eight to ten inch blossom erect and perfect in formation. It has stood the insect test perfectly. Foliage is dark green and leathery. One of the most popular in my garden this season. Stock limited. Tubers 10.00. Plants \$5.00

MING TOY (D) (Dr. Shattuck)

One of the brightest and most striking Dahlias I have seen. A regular oriental color of velvety pomegranite purple. (Color by Ridgway) Stiff stem, medium size, fine foliage. Tubers \$5.00
Plants \$2.50

MRS. FANNIE BEALS (D) (Dr. Shattuck)

This is a four-year-old seedling and has improved each year. It is a deep rose pink splashed and striped tyrian rose with a faint shade of yellow near the base of petals. It has a fine long stem and blooms are very large and it blooms freely. Fine foliage and tall plant. Stock limited. Tubers \$10.00. Plants \$5.00

PEACH BLOSSOM (D) (Dr. Shattuck)

A very odd and popular Dahlia at my gardens. Color jasper red, striped and splashed on a faint yellow background. Very striking. The blooms are large on stiff stems. A wonderful bloomer. Plants are of medium height and fine foliage. Tubers \$7.50. Plants \$3.75

SILVERY MOON (D) (Dr. Shattuck)

A real white that is white. A three-year-old seedling, never been shown, Flowers have good depth and are large but must be disbudded as it is a profuse bloomer with a good stem. Foliage fine with good growing habits. Tubers \$10.00. Plants \$5.00

T. A. NORRIS (D) (Dr. Shattuck)

One of the most striking Dahlias in my garden. A perfect beauty that is white, shaded and tipped light vinaceous purple. The flower is a big improvement over Shudow's Lavendar in color, stem, size and keeping qualities. Tubers \$10.00.
Plants \$5.00

THREE CHEERS (D) (Dr. Shattuck)

Named after Fred Stone's great show. A beauty. Tyrian rose, white tipped, cleft petals, very large and deep. A dandy to look at but I am sorry to say it has a poor stem, hence the price. Stem like its parent, Our Country. Plants only ... \$2.50

GENERAL LIST.

A. O. KENNEY (D)

Large blooms of perfect form and great depth carried on good stems. Color a rich bronze buff with center tinted bronze. The entire flower has the appearance of being liberally sprinkled with gold dust, producing a striking effect. Plants grow medium in height and are very free flowering. Plants only \$5.00

ALICE WHITTIER (H. C.)

Large sulphur yellow, deep spike-like petals. Flowers 5 to 6 inches deep. A winner at all shows. Tubers \$1.50

AMBASSADOR (H. C.)

Soft yellow buff, shaded to salmon pink, extra large bloom with a very strong stem. Tubers \$1.00

ANDREAS HOFER (C.)

One of the best of the imported dahlias. Color is light pink, with salmon-rose suffusion and has best of stems. Tubers \$2.00

AZTEC GLORY (D)

Extra large blooms of most unusual formation has fine strong stems with blooms at top of plant. Color picric or lemon yellow. Tubers \$5.00. Plants \$2.50

ADDA PATTERSON (H. C.)

A robust growing plant with best of habits, has fine stems. Color is white. Tubers \$2.00. Plants \$1.00

BARBARA REDFERN (D)

An immense flower in size and great depth, very free blooming, with good stiff stems. Color is a blending of old rose and gold. Tubers \$3.00. Plants . . . \$1.50

BABY PINK BEAUTY (D)

One of the best for exhibition and cut flower variety, Has long wirey stems with blooms well above the foliage. Color is a beautiful shade of pink. Tubers \$5.00. Plants \$2.50

BERENGARIA (D)

A robust growing plant with foliage. Coloring is orange at center shading to gold at tips, covered with a golden sheen. Tubers \$3.50. Plants \$1.75

BETTY IVINS (D.)

This is a very fine exhibition variety and has won many prizes, a very beautiful flower with extra fine stems. A rich salmon overlaid with amber glow, showing a rosy pink reverse. Tubers \$5.00. Plants \$2.50

BEAU IDEAL (D)

A wonderful decorative of pinkish lavender shading to white. A tall and sturdy growing plant with blooms well out of the foliage on good strong stiff stems. Tubers \$2.50. Plants \$1.25

BARBARA WARE (D)

The color is soft and pleasing. The beautiful flowers being a pinkish lavender. The stems are perfectly straight, very long exceedingly strong. Blooms very freely. Tubers \$5.00. Plants \$2.50

BLACK JACK (D)

At a distance this dahlia looks black, color is a very dark maroon, with very fine stems. Tubers . . . \$1.00

CHEMAR'S MASTERPIECE (C)

A huge incurved cactus flower of orchid pink or soft orchid coloring. Extra large flowers of perfect form at all times, has a perfect stem and is a profuse bloomer. Tubers \$3.50. Plants \$1.75

CHEMAR'S PURITY (D)

A seedling from the well known Jersey's Beauty, plant is very rugged growing with blooms well out of the foliage on the best of stems. Color is white. Tubers \$3.50. Plants \$1.75

CITY OF TRENTON (D)

An exhibition dahlia of great merit. Plants grow tall and is a profuse bloomer, the stems are of the best and hold the giant blooms high above the foliage. Color is a rich glowing tangerine with reverse crushed strawberry, a two-toned effect that is very attractive. Tubers \$5.00. Plants \$2.50

COLOR SERGEANT (D)

A very attractive dahlia and gets the eye of all visitors as soon as they enter the garden, deep salmon bronze in color. Scored 87 at the Trial Gardens. Tubers \$3.00. Plants \$1.50

CHIC (D)

One of the late varieties and is in great demand. Color bright deep rose with perfect center up to frost. Blooms upright on perfect stems. Tubers \$4.00. Plants \$2.00

CHARLOTTE LAFRENZE (D)

An immense flower in size and perfect form, stems are long and very strong, plant has the best of habits and a most profuse bloomer. The color is the popular gold shades. Tubers \$5.00. Plants \$2.50

CONQUISTADOR (H. C.)

Soft creamy yellow shading to a pink at the base of the petals. This is a dahlia built on a massive plan. The plant is a very tall grower and the flowers can be cut on 4 ft. stems if wanted. I call it one of the best of the 1929 varieties. Tubers \$7.50. Plants \$3.50

CAPT. F. P. EDWARDS (D) (Roach)

One of my 1929 introductions. It is a perfect growing plant with very fine foliage. The blooms are large with perfectly tight center up to frost,—stems are very long and stiff with blooms well out at top of the plant. Color tyrian rose with a silver reverse. Stock limited. Tubers \$5.00. Plants \$2.50

CHAMPAGNE (D)

The color is rare and delightful warm autumn shades varying from burnished copper to a dull golden champagne and chamois. Long rigid stems. Tubers \$.75

CHAS. STRATTON (D)

A grand all round dahlia, color is pale gold shaded and tipped with old rose. Tubers \$.75

CARNIVAL (D)

A very attractive new dahlia, the blooms are large with good stems. Color is bright cardinal red with small petaloids at base of petals of chamois color. Tubers \$5.00. Plants \$2.50

EDNA FERBER (H. C.)

One of the best in its class, extremely large blooms on good stout stems well above the foliage, very free blooming and has won many prizes. Color is a glistening coral shading to old gold. Tubers \$3.00. Plants \$1.50

EAGLE ROCK BEAUTY (H. D.)

A more beautiful combination of pink and cream than is displayed in this glorious flower would be difficult to find. Perfect growing plant with large flowers up to frost. Tubers \$2.50. Plants \$1.25

ELIZABETH FORD (D)

Red dahlias are quite common but in this we have a flower that is different. A rich raspberry red, a giant in size on long stiff stems. Tubers \$2.50. Plants \$1.25

EASTERN STAR (D)

This is a wonderfully large, heavy, well formed flower with soft shadings of real old gold. Stems are good. Tubers \$1.50

ELIZA CLARK BULL (D)

Excellent growing plant with large white flowers on fine long stiff stems. A very profuse bloomer. Tubers \$1.50. Plants \$1.00

FLITE GLORY (D)

A 1926 sensational dahlia with best of habits, a robust growing plant which produces extra large flowers of brilliant red. Tubers \$2.25. Plants \$1.00

EAGLE ROCK JEWELL (H. C.)

Cream overlaid cameo pink, one of the best in its class. The large blooms are borne on strong stems. Tubers \$7.50. Plants \$3.75

FLORADORA (D)

The rich coloring makes a special appeal and the formation is interesting in that the petals are unusually long and slightly curved. The blossoms are very large but loosely formed and have a beautiful stem. Color is a bright apricot. Plants only \$3.75

FORT MONMOUTH (H. C.)

Twelve inch flowers are a very common thing in this variety. The flowers have long narrow petals and are perfect in form, full centered and a true hybrid cactus type. A very prolific bloomer all season,—the stem is perfect, being very long and stiff with blooms well out of the foliage. Color is a rich crimson maroon and will take your eye as soon as you enter the garden. Tubers \$7.50. Plants \$3.75

FORDHOOK VICTORY (D)

Giant blooms well formed and carried on strong sturdy stems,—a rich shade of tyrian rose. Tubers \$1.50

FORT WASHINGTON (D)

In this dahlia we have one of the best, a very strong growing plant. Flowers will grow very large on long stiff stems. A very deep maroon color. Tubers \$2.50
Plants \$1.25

F. T. D. (D)

A sport from Trentonian. Plants are tall and very free flowering with all flowers well above the foliage on long rigid stems. A very rich tyrian rose in color. Tubers \$3.00. Plants \$1.50

FARNCOT (C)

A very profuse bloomer all season. The color is aster purple with most of the blooms tipped white. Tubers
\$1.00

GRAF ZEPPELIN (D)

Is a wonderful white decorative. Plants grow tall up to 8 ft. with five or six laterals. The beautiful stem is 36 in. long and stiff as a cane. Flowers grow 7 to 8 inches without forcing and never shows a center. The best pure white decorative yet in existence, and will be a winner of many prizes. Plants only \$5.00 net

GALLI-CURCI (D)

A strong semi-dwarf grower with plants a mass of blooms all season and has long sturdy stems. The color of this beauty is salmon orange with gold suffusion with a luster of gold. Tubers \$6.00. Plants \$3.00

GOLDEN OCHRE (P) (Roach)

One of the best and largest in the peony class also a fine breeder. This dahlia won first prize at the Mitchell Nebraska show in 1927. Color is golden ochre with salmon reverse. Tubers \$3.50. Plants \$1.50

GRANDOLA (D)

This is a brilliant orange and very attractive one that gets the eye as soon as you enter the garden. Tubers \$2.00

GOV. TRUMBULL (D)

Medium height plant with large full flowers carried on long stout stems above the foliage. Color is pink slightly tinted mauve. Tubers \$2.00

GRENADIER (D)

Purplish maroon with a silver reverse. Flowers high above foliage on long strong stems. Tubers \$1.00

HARRY MAYER (D)

Medium height plant with heavy dark green foliage. Blooms early and freely all season.—stems are as near perfect as can be. Coloring is beautiful, being silvery pink with rose pink reverse. The large blooms stand up extremely well when cut. Tubers \$4.00. Plants \$2.00

HATHOR (D)

The formation is always perfect with the best of stems that hold the blooms erect. The predominating color is flame shading to deep crimson orange and all those colors seen in glowing embers. Tubers \$2.50. Plants
\$1.25

HARRY SHELDON JR. (D)

Pink and white decorative of enormous size and depth,
—a wonderful exhibition flower. Tubers \$2.00

ISLAM PATROL (H. C.)

Very dark velvet scarlet tipped heavily with yellow.
Tubers \$1.00

IDA PERKINS (D)

One of the best in whites, the plants are very robust growing, and the heavy dark green foliage is the kind that insects don't like. This is a very profuse bloomer and is in great demand. Tubers \$4.00. Plants \$2.00

JANE COWL (D)

A massive flower with petals curved and twisted. Coloring a glistening bronze buff and old gold blending to a deeper shade towards center of flower, reverse of petals a pale flesh color. A stem of unusual length and strength holds this giant bloom high above the foliage. A very profuse bloomer all season long. Tubers \$7.50
Plants \$3.50

JOVE (D)

(A novelty of great merit) Pink or salmon is the predominating color with bronze coloring toward center. Blooms are very large and will reach 10 in. without forcing. This is a fine variety to enter for the largest flower in the show. The stems are perfect, being very long and stiff. Tubers \$3.00. Plants \$1.50

JACK O'LANTERN (D)

An ideal growing plant with fine large blooms on long stiff stems. Color, bright orange red, shading to Spanish red at center with gold tips. Tubers \$2.50

JANE HARE (H. C.)

Exhibition hybrid cactus of particular formation and unusual charm. As the flower first unfolds it is a beautiful golden yellow, as it matures it becomes an apricot buff the outer row of petals a golden bronze. A free blooming variety with stout stems. Tubers \$4.50
Plants \$2.00

JERSEY'S MAMMOTH (D)

One of Mr. Waite's largest introductions. Color is golden mahogany. Tall growing plant with good stems. Tubers \$2.50

JERSEY'S BEAUTY (D)

No garden is complete without this beauty. It has been a prize winner at all the shows. Color is a perfect pink,—a profuse bloomer with long stiff stems. Tubers \$1.75

JERSEY'S EMPRESS (D)

Anthracene violet in color; the very large flowers have a pleasing formation, having narrow and wavy petals and of great depth. Tubers \$2.00. Plants \$1.00

JERSEY'S BEACON (D)

A very robust growing plant of medium height,—blossoms are large and very deep, and has the best of stems. Color, Chinese scarlet. Tubers \$1.00

JERSEY'S FIANCEE (D)

Good sized flowers of rose pink with petals slightly tipped gold on stems that are erect. Stock limited. Tubers \$2.00

JEAN M. MISSUD (H. C.) (Roach)

The color of this variety is hard to describe as it has four colors. As the flower opens it shows a rich yellow with a white tip, but as the flower matures it changes to yellow center shading to pink with white tips. Reverse of petals streaked with salmon. Tubers \$5.00. Plants \$2.50

KATHLEEN NORRIS (D)

Without doubt the greatest of pink decorative dahlias. It is a true rose pink, later deepening to mallow pink. A gigantic bloom in size, petals are broad and overlapping with twisted ends. It is a fine blooming plant and an excellent keeper. Stems are long and stiff. Plants only \$5.00

KEMP'S VIOLET WONDER (D)

Predominating color is naphthaline violet, shading to bluish violet at tips of petals with lavender reverse. Blooms will grow very large and very deep. Nine and ten inch blooms are common in this variety. Stems are long and stiff with blooms well above the foliage. This is one of the first to bloom in the garden. Tubers \$6.00. Plants \$3.00

LA RODA (D)

This was one of the outstanding dahlias for 1927. The immense flowers are a silvery rose pink. Flowers are perfect in form held high above the foliage on a perfectly stiff straight stem. Plants are bushy and very robust growing. Stock limited. Tubers \$7.50. Plants \$3.75

LUCKY STRIKE (C)

Large full flowers with long closely rolled petals. A fine white cactus with good stems. Tubers \$2.00

MARGARET MASSON (D)

One of the best. Plant is a robust grower and also very free blooming. Color, rose pink. Tubers . . . \$7.75

MRS. ALFRED B. SEAL (D)

Undoubtedly the largest and finest pure, rich glowing old rose dahlia ever produced,—one that is different from any other. The flowers are huge in size and of great depth and substance and are held proudly erect above the fine tall plant. One of the best for 1929. Plants only \$7.50

MY MARYLAND (D)

One of the new dahlias of much merit. Color a delicate pink with the faintest suggestion of lavender—the petals twist in such a manner as to blend the two colors. A large growing plant with fine blooms on long stiff stems. Stock limited. Tubers \$7.50. Plants \$3.50

MISS CAPE ANN (H. C.)

This is one of the few dahlias that is snow white,—the petals are large with serrated tips making a very attractive flower. It has long stout stems, blooms freely with tight centers up to frost. Tubers \$3.50. Plants \$1.75

MAY TROWER (D)

An artistic flower ranging in color from the palest gold to a deep golden apricot—occasionally the flowers will be tipped white. This is a very profuse bloomer with good stems. Tubers \$5.00. Plants \$2.50

MARMION (D)

This decorative is of such enormous size and depth that it attracts your attention as soon as you enter the garden. Color is pure golden yellow with a bronze suffusion on reverse of petals. The plants are perfect and has great long stiff stems. Tubers \$1.75

MRS. ELINOR MARTIN (D)

A very large blossom with long stiff stems.. Color deep mulberry and rose. Tubers \$1.00

MRS. FRANCES E. BULLARD (P)

Listed as a peony by the originator but comes decorative in the East;—large blooms with good stems. Color a light pink. Tubers \$1.00

MARIPOSA (H. C.)

A beautiful pink shading very deep to center with violet suffusion. Blooms very freely with good stems. Tubers \$.75

MRS. HENRY E. FOLEY (H. C.)

Large flowers that are well constructed. The color is a combination of white and two tones magenta. Stems are long and stiff. Tubers \$3.50. Plants \$1.75

NETAWAKA (D)

Orange yellow base shading to jasper red, reverse of petals bright carmine. Petals twist and curl so reverse shows plainly. The large blooms are held on good stems. Tubers \$7.50. Plants \$3.75

NANAQUAKET (D)

An immense bloom of extraordinary beauty. The color is a shade of delicate orchid pink,—each petal bordered with deeper pink. The formation is wonderful and looks more like a rose. Plants are robust and very free blooming from early till late. Tubers \$5.00. Plants \$2.50

NATURE'S MASTERPIECE (D)

Rich combination of old rose, cinnamon and metallic bronze blended into one color suffused with mulberry. In addition to this the effectiveness is increased by a violet shaded reflex. Stems are long and stiff. Tubers \$2.50. Plants \$1.25

OYSTER BAY RUBY (D)

In this variety we have a flower that is very graceful. Stems are extra long and stiff as a cane. A perfect ruby red in color. Tubers \$1.50

OUR COUNTRY (D)

Color is deep purple with perfect white tips. Blooms are very large, and always plenty of them. Tubers \$1.00

OH HENRY (D)

A sensational new fancy decorative that is very attractive. An enormous flower on a straight stem. Coloring is red and gold variegated in a most striking manner. Tubers \$10.00. Plants \$5.00

PRINCE OF PILSEN (D) (Dr. Shattuck)

A very beautiful purple flower with lighter shadings, reverse silver. Grows a very large flower from eight to eleven inches in diameter and very deep. It is held high above the foliage with a perfect long stiff stem. The foliage is very dark and insects do not seem to trouble it. The plant is very tall, growing from six to eight feet. Flowers are very thick and deep, showing the silver reverse very plainly. Plants only \$7.50

PAUL REVERE (D)

The best red to date,—plants are very rugged and bloom very freely with large perfect flowers on long cane-like stems. Does not burn in the hot sun. Tubers \$2.50. Plants \$1.25

PRES. WILSON (D)

One of the most attractive of all dahlias, a very profuse bloomer with long strong stems. Color is a bright crimson with white tips. Tubers \$2.00. Plants \$1.00

PAPPILLION (H. C.)

Medium growing plants that are always covered with blooms. Color is old rose and gold. Stock limited. Tubers \$.75

PRIDE OF STRATFORD (D)

The coloring in this beautiful flower is very striking, being a brilliant shade of cadmium orange shading to orange yellow at base of petals,—long strong stems. Tubers \$2.50

POP STEWART (H. C.)

A remarkable flower of great size and has fine stiff stems. Color is purest lilac pink. Tubers \$1.00

PRIMULA REX (D)

Immense blooms of a creamy primrose yellow. This is one of the giants in dahlias. Blooms are very deep and stand well when cut. Tubers \$1.50

QUEEN OF THE GARDEN BEAUTIFUL (D)

Grows very large blooms and has won many prizes in the largest flower class. Plants are medium tall growing. Color primrose yellow. Tubers \$2.00. Plants \$1.00

RICHELIEU (D)

Sturdy bushes with a long stiff stem and is a good bloomer and also a fine cut flower. Color is a deep velvety red of the old Jack rose. Tubers \$5.00

RED SOX (D)

A grand new red that has made a big hit,—Its fine bushy plants are always full of giant blooms. Color bright crimson red. In form it is nearly that of the hybrid cactus. Tubers \$2.50. Plants \$1.25

RALPH S. BAUER (H. C.) (Roach)

This dahlia is very attractive and made a big hit at the Western trial gardens. Flowers grow very large and to quote Dr. Faulk, "An extra good all round dahlia for garden exhibition or cut variety, best of habits, blooms early with tight centers up to frost" red hybrid cactus tan reverse, petals are long and narrow, stems are of the best holding blooms well above the foliage. Tubers \$5.00. Plants \$2.50

ROYCROFT (H. C.)

Excellent formed flowers with long pointed petals. An early bloomer and plants are full of blooms all season. Tubers \$1.00

ROSE FALLON (D)

The formation of this flower is perfect, has great long stiff stems and has won many prizes. Color is shades of amber, russet and salmon. I have a fine strain on this variety. Tubers \$1.75

ROMAN EAGLE (D)

Large exhibition decorative of burnished copper shade. Blooms held well above the foliage on long stiff stems. Tubers \$1.00

ROOKWOOD (D)

A beautiful flower of cerise rose, without the faintest touch of magenta. Blooms are immense in size and held well above the foliage on long strong stems. Tubers \$1.00

ROBERT TREAT (D)

The color of this variety is unlike any other variety. A fine growing plant and best of stems. Color is a brilliant American Beauty rose shade. Tubers \$1.00

ROBERT SCOTT (D)

A grand flower of apricot yellow with rose shading, large bold flowers with good stems. Tubers \$2.00

RADIO (D)

Medium growing plant with blooms that will grow 10 inches on long stout stems. Color blood red edged and tipped yellow. Tubers \$1.00

REFLECTION (D)

Very large blooms that will last for days when cut, has a fine stem with blooms well above the foliage. The face of petals are white, reverse suffused violet showing a pink base. Tubers \$3.00

STAR OF BETHLEHEM (H. C.)

One of the best in the white hybrid cactus class. Plants are about 5 feet in height with large flowers of pure white, fine pointed petals with tight center resembling a real star. Stems 18 to 24 inches in length. Plants are very free blooming. This flower was greatly admired at the Boston Dahlia Show the past season. Plants only \$5.00 net

SPOTTSWOOD BEAUTY (D)

A 1928 introduction that is a beauty. Color is a clear Chatenay pink, shading to lemon yellow at base of petals. Blooms are 7 to 8 inches in diameter and of great depth and are borne on long cane-like stems high above the foliage. Plant is very robust growing and a profuse bloomer. Tubers \$4.00. Plants .. \$2.00

SULPHUR QUEEN (D) (Roach)

One of my 1927 introductions that has been very much admired in my garden each year. A very strong growing plant that is a mass of fine large blooms all season. The stems are of the best with all blooms high above the foliage. Color is permanent or sulphur yellow. Tubers \$3.50. Plants \$1.50

SAGAMORE BEAUTY (D) (Shattuck)

A wonderful dark pink with a small cream center, not a very tall grower. Flowers are on fine rigid stems and look you in the face at all times. This is a perfect flower for cutting, as they will stand for a week when cut. Won third prize at the Boston show in the seedling class with sixteen in the class in 1927. Tubers \$5.00. Plants \$2.50

SILVERADO (H. C.)

Silverado is a very beautiful variety and should be grown by all dahlia fans. Blooms are very large, up to 10 inches, with good strong stems. Color is white with lavender tints. Tubers \$2.00

SHIRLEY E. SHATTUCK (H. C.)

The silver cup winner at the Boston Show in 1926. Medium height plants, very large blooms on long stiff stems; a profuse bloomer. Color is orchid lavender with a silver sheen. Tubers \$2.00. Plants \$1.00

SANTA ANNA (H. C.)

One of the largest and best hybrid cactus of this shade. A salmon rose suffused with gold. The flowers are held well above the foliage on good stems. The petals are long and wavy which gives the flowers striking form. Tubers \$3.00. Plants \$1.50

SHEILA WARD (D)

The very artistic and beautiful flowers are light primrose yellow, tipped white. The stems are excellent. Stock limited. Tubers \$2.00

SUNRISE (D)

A very beautiful two-tone salmon pink flower with an overlaid sheen of tyrian purple, gold variations and gold tips. This wonderful combination of colors is very much in harmony with the European Oriental pastel shades. Plants are tall and very rugged growing producing giant blooms in abundance on very long stems, as stiff as a cane, high above the foliage. Tubers \$7.50. Plants \$3.75

SISKIYOU (H.C)

Siskiyou grows to enormous size and has created a sensation wherever it is grown. Plants are very strong and vigorous. Blooms are held erect on strong stems. Color is pink, tinged mauve. Tubers \$1.00

SANHICAN'S BLUEBIRD (D)

The outer petals at maturity are bright violet blue, while the center retains the violet tint. The nearest approach to a blue dahlia. Strong wirey stems. Tubers \$1.50

SANHICAN'S NYMPH (D)

Exhibition decorative that attracts the attention of all dahlia fans who are looking for beauty and size combined. A solid high built flower that never shows its center. Color primrose yellow with reverse of petals faintly touched with fawn-rose. Medium tall habit of growth. Tubers \$5.00. Plants \$2.50

THE SPIRIT OF ST. LOUIS (D)

Something entirely different in color. It might be described best as nearest to a pleasing American Beauty Rose color, and will not fade or burn in the sun. This dahlia was awarded the Achievement Medal at the Boston show in 1928 as the best undisseminated decorative seedling. The flower has great depth and is carried on a good stem. Tubers \$7.50. Plants \$3.50

THOS. HAY (D)

A giant in size and has great depth,—flowers are very full; stems are very strong and hold the massive flowers upright at all times. Color is clear lilac. This should be in all dahlia fans gardens. Tubers \$3.50. Plants \$1.75

THE LEMONADE (D)

A more beautiful flower than this variety will be hard to find,—blooms are held erect on long stout stems. Color pale lemon yellow. Tubers \$3.50. Plants \$1.50

THE BOY SCOUT (H. C.)

A variety of the true hybrid cactus type, plants grow tall, very rugged. The large flowers are held well above the foliage on long stiff stems. Flesh pink shading to lighter pink towards end of petals. Tubers \$5.00. Plants \$2.50

THE GHOST (D)

In this variety we have one of the best in the white class. An exhibition flower of great depth; a free bloomer and has long stiff stems. Tubers \$2.00

THE TELEGRAM (D)

A wonderful novelty, the color is deep orange, tipped white. The plants are very sturdy, tall and bushy and a profuse bloomer. Stock limited. Tubers \$1.25

THE SURPRISE (D)

Beautiful growing plant with fine large blooms on long stout stems. Color is a light wine shade. Tubers \$1.00

VALENTINO (D)

The name suggests beauty and the flower has great size and is very attractive. It is a true salmon pink shading to cream at center and is held erect by long upright stems and grows out of a bush of medium height. Plants only \$3.75

VALESKA (D)

Deep lilac. There is no variation in color unless perhaps the lilac shade slightly deepens at the center. We would like to give a more vivid color picture if we could but are completely at a loss to do so and can only say that we know of no other dahlia like it. The blooms are immense in size held well above the foliage on a first class stem. Tubers \$5.00. Plants \$2.50

WALDHEIM SUNSHINE (H. D.)

A huge hybrid decorative dahlia of great merit. A true deep yellow that will show up yellow under artificial light. The reflex is darker and there is a rich golden suffusion around the high center.. The plant growth is ideal, the strong erect stems hold the flowers upright. Tubers \$7.50 Plants \$3.50

WHITE EMPRESS (D)

This dahlia won the Darnell cup as the best keeping variety at the New York show. It is an ideal white dahlia for the garden on account of its attractive appearance and sturdy growth. Flowers are on strong stiff stems. Tubers \$7.50 Plants \$3.75

WONDERLAND (D)

Extra large blooms on a fine stem,—plants are very robust growing and are profuse bloomers. Color is violet carmine with a silver reverse. Tubers \$2.00

WORLD'S BEST WHITE (D)

One of the best whites for all around purposes on account of its freedom in blooming and fine stems. Stock limited. Tubers \$1.00

YELLOW PRINCESS (D)

A sensation wherever shown. One of the very best of yellows. Blooms will grow 10 to 12 inches on long stiff stems. Tubers\$5.00. Plants \$2.50

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COLLECTION NO. 1, \$25.00

Phyllis Shaw	Jersey's Beacon
Aztec Glory	Adda Patterson
Silverado	Galli Curci
The Surprise	Barbara Redfern
Primula Rex	Champagne
Ralph S. Bauer	Eagle Rock Beauty

COLLECTION NO. 2, \$20.00

Jane Cowl	Mrs. Elinor Martin
Jersey's Beauty	Jersey's Beacon
Edna Ferber	Adda Paterson
Eagle Rock Beauty	The Ghost
Harry Mayer	Rookwood
Fort Washington	Marmion

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Jersey's Empress	Thomas Hay
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Eagle Rock Beauty	Andreas Hofer
Chas. Stratton	Siskiyou
Elite Glory	Adda Patterson
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May Trower	Ambassador
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The Lemonade	The Ghost
Rese Fallon	The Surprise
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